NOTICE OF DECISION UNDER REGULATION 32
FILM POSTERS

VIDEO POSTER

TO: The Film and Video Labelling Body Inc.
PO Box 2627
Ponsonby
AUCKLAND

Pursuant to regulation 32 of the Films, Videos, and Publications Classification Regulations 1994 the film poster entitled:

The Best Of Buttslammers Volume 1

is **Not Approved**

if approval refused, the reasons for the decision:

The film poster, *The Best of Buttslammers Volume 1*, is dominated by photos of naked women posing with their buttocks to the camera or engaged in explicit sexual activity. A number of the photos are degrading to the women involved such as the image of a woman up ended on her shoulders while being penetrated by a double ended dildo which is also penetrating another woman, and two photos of women's buttocks surrounded by other women prodding them with gloved hands. The border of buttocks along the edges of the poster is dehumanising and degrading and reduces the women to their body parts, primarily their buttocks. These photos take up over 80% of the poster, and the dominating effect is of a degrading barrage of buttocks and sexual activity. The Classification Office considers that if this poster were submitted under s13(1) of the Act, it would be likely to be classified as objectionable. In accordance with Regulation 28(3)(a), the film poster is not approved.

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